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Police Investigate Suspicious Death in Allied Gardens

San Diego – On Friday, December 22, 2023, at approximately 11:45 a.m., officers from Eastern Division responded to the 4900 block of Zion Avenue to investigate a report of death.

Essentially, out-of-town family members were at a residence and located a dead body inside of a chest freezer. They immediately called police. Based on the unusual location of the body, the San Diego Police Homicide Unit was called to investigate.

At this point, the cause of death is unknown and will have to be determined by the Medical Examiner's Office. Due to the state of the body, it is unclear if there is any traumatic injury. The body is believed to be female, but no other physical details such as age or race can be confirmed until an identification is made.

Detectives are continuing to gather information to understand what happened and why the body was inside the freezer. Anyone with information regarding this incident can call the Homicide Unit at (619) 531-2293 or Crime Stoppers at (888) 580-8477.

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